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To:

Audit Committee

From:

William T Fujioka

Chief Executive Officer

BOARD POLICY REVISION: 3.070 -- COUNTY-SPONSORED EVENTS TO BE DISABLED ACCESSIBLE

As required by Board Policy, we are recommending an amendment to Board Policy 3.070 -- County-Sponsored Events to Be Disabled Accessible. As a result of the consolidation of the Office of Affirmative Action Compliance, we are recommending that the policy's verbiage be amended to designate the Chief Executive Office as the responsible department.

Attached is an edited version of the policy, as required by Board Policy.

If you have any questions or require further information, please contact Michele Vercoutere, of the Chief Executive Office, at (213) 893-2476.

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Attachment

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Policy #:	Title:	Effective Date:
3.070	County-Sponsored Events To Be Disabled Accessible	

PURPOSE

Ensures that persons without regard to disability can attend all County-sponsored public events, including those held at County facilities not owned by the County. Instructs County departments and commissions to adhere to the County Policy of Non-Discrimination on the Basis of Disability and the State of California Unruh Civil Rights Act. Requires County departments, when holding County-sponsored public events at non-County-owned facilities, to select facilities that are accessible to and usable by persons with disabilities, as mandated by Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act.

REFERENCE

Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (42 USC 12101 Title II et seq.)

January 4, 1994, Board Order - Synopsis 67

July 14, 1998, Board Order - Synopsis 55

September 14, 1998 Office of Affirmative Action Compliance memo and policy manual, "An Overview for Planning Accessible County Events and Meetings"

POLICY

The Board of Supervisors has approved a policy that requires all County departments that deliver services, programs and activities to the public, including events, to comply with the policy of non-discrimination on the basis of disability and when holding County-sponsored public events, including those held at non-County-owned facilities. All departments and commissions must select facilities that are accessible to and usable by persons with disabilities, as mandated by Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act

RESPONSIBLE DEPARTMENT

Office of Affirmative Action Compliance Chief Executive Office

DATE ISSUED/SUNSET DATE

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